

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE - EXAMINING GROUP 3656**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

First Named Inventor: YAMADA, TAKATSUGU Art Unit: 3656

Appln. No.: 10/587,402 Examiner: Johnson

Filed: July 26, 2006 Conf. No.: 7032

For: TELESCOPIC SHAFT FOR VEHICLE STEERING

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RESPONSE AFTER FINAL REJECTION

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 1, 2009,
Applicant offers the following Remarks.

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